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Articles of property.	Offices.						
	Secretary's.	Patent.	Pension.	Land.	Indian.	Census.	Education. Total.
Desks .....	30	233	209	182	49	60	777
Tables .....	14	182	114	57	3	130	506
Chairs .....	100	428	392	288	67	355	1,662
Stools .....		532		5	3	60	600
Cases .....	14	37	152	170		4	333

## A.—Inventory of property belonging to the United States in the buildings, &amp;c., of the Department of the Interior, &amp;c.—Continued.

Articles of property.	Offices.							
	Secretary's.	Patent.	Pension.	Land.	Indian.	Census.	Education.	Total.
Book-cases	12	18	10	15	6	7		68
Book-racks	9	6	3	15	5	2		40
Wardrobes	6	2	1	4	1	1	1	16
Mirrors	11	57	26	24	5	6	1	130
Sofas	6	2	3	4	2	1	1	19
Lounges		2		3				5
Benches		4	4	1	2	3		14
Clocks	10	40	7	3	2	8	1	71
Chests drawers	2	37		7	2	3		51
Book-rests	4	20	30	12	15	30	1	112
Paper-racks	8	2		1				12
Map-racks	2		1	2				5
Pigeon-hole cases	8	38	6	27	37			116
Desk-trays	6	3	2	26	7		1	45
Desk-covers	6	45	2	21	2		2	78
Paintings	2		1		8			11
Engravings	2			4	3			9
Photographs	12	10		3	2			27
Hat-racks	1	24	15	18		60	1	119
Towel-racks	6	26	9	1	12	1	6	61
Umbrella stands	8	35	4	3	3	2	1	56
Wash-stands	1	16	14	20		15		66
Wash-basins	1	16	12	21		15		65
Wash-pitchers	1	16	12	18				47
Soap-dishes	12	47	33	25	9	15	8	149
Tumblers	30	250	38	12	25	20	12	387
Water-coolers	2	61	19	7	2	6	3	100
Cooler-stands	2	49	7	4			3	65
Water-pitchers	10	13	3	2	3	3		34
Water-buckets	10	86	20	16	2	25	4	163
Carpets	12	66	70	39	5	4	9	205
Oil-cloths	4	50		1		2		57
Mats	9	96	6	4	5	5	6	131
Rugs	9	13	3	17			6	48
Curtains	4	57	5	31	2	2		101
Shades	10	42	53	11			8	124
Awnings	13	78	77	54	9	24	30	285
Iron safes	3	1		1				6
Letter-presses	3	2	5	5	1		1	19
Hand-stamps	2	4	6	8	1	2		23
Scales, pairs	1	2	2	1		1		7
Stop-ladders	5	9	7	27	4	4	1	57
Drop-lights	5	8	6	5	4		1	29
Ventilators	6	10	51	2				69
Thermometers	8	10	10	12			2	47
Brushes	12	196	6	11	3	5	6	239
Spittoons	50	487	222	131	30	100	5	1,025
Brooms	10	85	21	10	5	10		141
Wisps	12	42	32	13			6	105
Dusters	6	56	34	9			2	107
Waste-baskets	24	120	248	110	18	40	4	564
Stoves		10	30	1		3	2	46
Wood-boxes	2	5	1	4			1	13
Coal-hods	10	21	36	21	4	6	3	101
Shovels and tongs	10	10	24	15		2	6	67
Fenders	6	9		8	2	1	4	30
Fire-screens	3	17	17	12	2	5	6	62
Foot-stools	2	84	124	83	2	3	1	299
Mail-bags	1	1	7	1	1	1	1	13
Dust-pans	4	20	21	4	1	2	4	56
Slop-basins	1	4	4	16	2	1	1	29
Letter-baskets	10	22	61	43	1	1	1	139
File-cases	5	37	50	73	7			172
Sealing-presses	1	1		1				3
Horses	3	1	1	1		1		7
Carriages	2	1	1	1		1		6
Harness, sets	2	1	2	1		1		7

**B.—List of property purchased for the use of the Department of the Interior during the year ended November 30, 1872.**

55 desks.	10 stoves.
14 tables.	28 coal-hods.
155 chairs.	8 shovels and tongs.
15 stools.	3 axes.
8 book-rests.	6 fire-screens.
3 book-cases.	106 spittoons.
2 file-cases.	56 buckets.
4 pigeon-hole sets.	5 wash-stands.
15 cases.	1 wash-basin.
1 map-rack.	31 soap-dishes.
6 letter-presses.	8 towel-racks.
25 letter-baskets.	3 slop-jars.
11 hand-stamps.	33 water-coolers.
105 waste-baskets.	180 tumblers.
3 coat-racks.	3 ice-picks.
184 brushes.	1 water-pitcher.
138 brooms.	3 drop-lights.
37 wisps.	2 clocks.
46 feather dusters.	71 awnings.
4 dust-pans.	1 horse.
8 mirrors.	2 carriages.
22 carpets.	2 sets harness.
2 rugs.	1 whip.
19 mats.	11 step-ladders.
35 oil-cloths.	2 pairs scales.
18 window-shades.	63 window-ventilators.
2 mail-bags.	38 thermometers.
13 hat-racks.	

**C.—List of property sold by the Department of the Interior during the year ended November 30, 1872.**

21 tables.	1 mat.
130 chairs.	1 oil-cloth.
10 book-cases.	21 curtains.
2 book-racks.	3 coat-racks.
7 cases.	16 stoves.
3 desks.	2 grates.
1 desk-bottom.	12 fenders.
4 desk-tops.	3 pieces zinc.
2 counters.	3 screens.
2 counter-tops.	14 spittoons.
1 file-holder.	4,704 pounds iron.
5 pigeon-hole sets.	6 coolers.
4 benches.	12 trestles.
23 stools.	14 window-sashes.
21 carpets.	38 glass doors.
6 lots carpet-lining.	213 wire doors.
20 lots matting.	1 lot old lumber.